March Senior Center Gazette 2006

INTERNATIONAL FOOD FESTIVAL Weds., March 22, Noon

\$5 Senior Center Members \$7 non-members

Join us for the Annual Senior International Center Food Festival with delightful dishes from many different countries. Want to try an Indian Curry, Italian Pasta, treats from Pakistan, sweet & sour tastes of China? Purchase your tickets 790-6600 early. Call for information or if you would like to sign up to donate food from your favorite country.



MAY THE LUCK OF THE IRISH BE WITH YOU ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY FRIDAY, MARCH 17 12 noon, \$5 members \$7 non-members Lunch & Sing Along

Riley's Special Corned Beef and cabbage will make your day happy and wearing green will make your day lucky. Join in an Irish Sing Along at 1:00 pm with the Senior Center Singers. Top of the morning to you all!

SPECIAL SPEAKER
Everyone is invited to the
Mon., March 13, 12:45 pm
"SELF HYPNOSIS FOR A
HEALTHY LIFESTYLE"
Francis Dreher, PhD., MFT

Will be teaching us how to use self hypnosis in our everyday life to reduce stress, manage difficult times, and achieve personal goals.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

FREMONT HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT574-2050
Coordination of services for homebound seniors574-2041
Senior Center790-6600
Senior Information & Referral574-2041
Fremont Paratransit Program574-2053
Multi-Purpose Senior Services Program (MSSP)574-2050
Senior Peer Counseling574-2063
Caregiver Support Program574-2035
LIFE ELDERCARE574-2090
Meals on Wheels574-2092
Friendly Visitor Program574-2097
Travel Escort Program574-2096
AFGHAN ELDERLY ASSOCIATION574-2059
ALAMEDA COUNTY WEBSITEwww.alameda.networkofcare.org
ALZHEIMER ASSOCIATION HOTLINE1-800-660-1993
ALZHEIMER'S SERVICES OF THE EAST BAY888-1411
BACS ADULT DAY CARE CENTER656-7742
COMMUNITY HEALTH RESOURCE LIBRARY494-7030
EAST BAY PARATRANSIT1-800-555-8085
HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION SERVICE1-800-770-9447
HOMESERVICES REGISTRY574-2095
HOUSING ASSISTANCE (OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOODS)494-4500
After hours494-4505 LEGAL ASSISTANCE FOR SENIORS1-800-393-0363
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MEDICARE1-800-952-8627
MEDICARE & INSURANCE COUNSELING (HICAP)1-800-393-0363
TRI-CITY HEALTH CLINIC713-6685
SENIOR LIBRARY SERVICES745-1499 or 745-1491
SOCIAL SECURITY1-800-SSA-1213
TRI-CITY ELDER COALITION574-2064

INDIA COMMUNITY CENTER JOINS THE FREMONT SENIOR CENTER FOR SPECIAL CLASSES

ICC will offer its program for all seniors at the Fremont Senior Center, on the <u>first and third Mondays of each month, from 10 a.m. - 2</u>

<u>p.m.</u> Programs are offered to seniors at no cost and will include:

10 AM-12 PM - Meditation and Yoga - including pranayam (breathing exercises) and mudras (the hand gestures used in yogic practices), and Bollywood Dance (Indian dance forms set to contemporary Indian music).

12-1 PM - <u>A potluck lunch</u> or seniors may purchase lunch at the senior center (vegetarian options available with advance notice to chef).

1-2 PM - Roundtable discussions on social issues and life experiences, and/or talent showcases, including singing, writing, poetry, and dance. The group will have input what is offered each week.

New! Chinese Calligraphy taught by Edward Thi Fridays, 9:30 - 11:30 am

Study Chinese Calligraphy, an art, passed down through the centuries, from Edward Thi, a very talented instructor.
Senior Center Members - no fee Non-members - \$2 per class

MARCH BIRTHDAY PARTY Friday, MARCH 10, 1:30 pm Entertainment by Bay Strings Band

Join us for the entertainment & food, even if is not your birthday. Cake, ice cream, & coffee will be served. If you are having a March birthday, register for the drawing for birthday prizes.

AARP INCOME TAX HELP

Sign up now for Income Tax Assistance appointments which start on Thursday, February 2. Appointments are available on: Tuesday at 10, 11 & 12, Thursday at 9, 10, 11, & 12, and Friday at 1, 2, & 3 pm until April 14.



The City of Fremont does not discriminate on the basis of disability. Reasonable auxiliary aids are provided upon request to persons with disabilities to afford equal opportunity to services, programs, and activities. Inquiries may be forwarded to the Director of the Human Services Department, P.O. Box 5006, Fremont, CA 94537, (510) 574-2051 or (510) 574-2040.